



Woodturners of the Virginias

Mount Jackson, Virginia

*a chapter of the American Association of Woodturners*



## **July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2024 WOVA Business Meeting**

### **Demo:**

We mixed it up this month by starting off the meeting with a demo by Tony Demasi.



Tony opened by showing some of his large “Burl” turnings and a discussion about expectations when working with burls, including voids and bark inclusions. He walked us through his workflow process and the tools he uses.

Tony brought in some samples of burls, and offered them up for those interested. Names were put in a bowl and two winners were selected. Tony we thank you for your time and

sharing your talents with the club.

### **Treasury Report:**

Peter reported the club is in good fiscal standing with an account balance of \$ 2986.70.

**Tools Sales:** The club still has a number of tools for sale that belonged to Charlie, if you are interested please let it be known.

### **Safety:**

Stark presented the safety minutes and focused on staying alert and aware of your surroundings. Stark focused on when to stop before fatigue sets in. He recommended working earlier in the day when energy levels are the highest.

### **Up coming Meetings and Demos:**

**August 3<sup>rd</sup> Mike Sorge – Winged Vessels**

Note: Due to space constraints we asked people to sign up for this demo. To offset some of the cost of having Mike come in there will be a \$5.00 fee.

**October 5<sup>th</sup> Mike Fraser** – Integrating CNC into Turning

**November 2<sup>nd</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> Virginia Turning Symposium 2024**

Expoland – Fishersville Virginia

**Pre-Registrations Rate**

2 Day Registration \$85

1 Day Registration \$60

2 Day Family Member \$50

1 Day Family Member \$40

**At The Door**

2 Day Registration \$95

1 Day Registration \$65

2 Day Family Member \$55

1 Day Family Member \$45

Sat. Half Day (after 1:30) \$40

Sun. Half Day (after 12:00) \$20

Visit [virginia.woodturning.org](http://virginia.woodturning.org) for more information.

**December 7<sup>th</sup> Tom Coker** – Christmas Ornaments

**Skills Session:**

**July 20<sup>th</sup>** – Oval shaped lidded boxes

**August 17<sup>th</sup>** – Bowl turning, “Empty Bowl Project”

**August 25-31** - Shenandoah County Fair

**September 21<sup>st</sup>** – Pen turning, “Turning for the Troops Project”

**October 19<sup>th</sup>** – Pizza cutter

**November 16<sup>th</sup>** – Christmas Ornaments

**December 21<sup>st</sup>** – No Skills Session

**August 25-31 Shenandoah County Fair**

We are still in need of demonstrators, and volunteers to man the booth, and set-up / tear down activities. If you are available please contact the club.

Show and tell pictures and information will be sent in a separate email.

Be safe turn well and share what you your work through Show and Tell during our business meetings on the first Saturday of the month.

